

INTRODUCTION

The 2003-04 edition of Vital Education Statistics presents the status of education in New Jersey. These data are compiled from the New Jersey State Department of Education's annual fall survey data collection of local districts and schools. The information is used to meet state and federal mandates for information pertaining to the current condition of education in New Jersey, as well as for the purposes of educational research and policy considerations. Beyond the significance of any single number reported for a particular year, the importance of these numbers is their value as annual benchmarks that may be used to reveal trends over time.

As in prior editions, the data are reported within the following sections:

- **Section I** includes local district and school organization data, charter schools, and selected program enrollments;
- **Section II** includes student enrollments statewide, as well as charter schools;
- **Section III** includes student dropouts and dropout rates;
- **Section IV** includes high school graduate data including post-graduation plans and graduation rates;
- **Section V** includes certificated staff data, including major assignment category, full- and part-time status, gender, racial/ethnic category, salary distribution, mean salary, mobility, and staff-per-student ratios;
- **Section VI** includes non-certificated support staff data by position; and
- **Section VII** includes school count, enrollment, and program data for identified nonpublic schools.

Again, as with the previous edition, tables of information pertaining the New Jersey are new charter schools are included. The Charter School Program Act of 1995 (P.L. 1995 c. 426, *N.J.S.A. 18A:36A*), effective in January 1996, authorized the Commissioner of Education to establish a charter school program. The definition of a charter school appears in the glossary.

**NOTES FOR
SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1994-95 to 1998-99 and 1999-00 to 2003-04**

- (a)** Minority counts for enrollments, dropouts, and graduates include all categories of racial/ethnic origin with the exception of “white.”
- (b)** Dropout and graduation data are for the preceding school year.
- (c)** The grade category of “ungraded” ceased to be collected in the 1993-94 school year.
- (d)** The single-year “event” dropout rate is calculated by dividing the total number of dropouts from grades 9-12 in a particular school year by the total enrollments in those grades reported for that year.
- (e)** Includes four-year college, two-year college, and other type college. See glossary.
- (f)** The graduation rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates in a particular school year by the Grade 9 enrollment reported in October four years earlier.
- (g)** Beginning with the 1992-93 school year, certificated staff job assignments were reported via the department’s annual Fall Survey data collection in FTEs (Full-time Equivalents). Prior to that time, job assignments were prioritized based on the order or sequence in which they were reported.
- (h)** Beginning with the 1993-94 school year, non-certificated staff counts were reported in FTEs (Full-time Equivalents). Prior to that time, these counts were reported as full- or part-time.
- (i)** Beginning with the 1993-94 school year, enrollments were collected for “on-roll” students who attended public school full - time and those who attended two schools on a shared-time basis. Shared-time students are those students who attend two different schools in one day for a half school day each. For example, students who spend a half school day in an academic high school and a half school day in a county vocational school are enrolled in the high school register under the program type, grades 9-12, and also appear in the appropriate county vocational school register. For the purposes of the department’s annual Fall Survey data collection, the results of which appear in this publication, these students are reported as “.5” at each location. In previous years, shared-time vocational education students were counted in their appropriate grades (grades 9-12, post-graduate, or ungraded) by their home district and duplicated in counts of shared-time students who were sent and those who were received by each location. Subsequently, counts of students “on-roll” full- and shared-time have been combined with full-time students reported as “1” and shared-time as “0.5” at each location. Enrollment counts that include a decimal (“0.5”) for demographic categories such as racial/ethnic origin and sex are due to the reporting limitations of the New Jersey School Register. For example, pupils attending a private school for the handicapped on a shared-time basis would only be reported as a “0.5” by the public school where the child is enrolled for a half school day each day. Enrollments, full- or shared-time, are not reported in a school register for private schools for the handicapped.
- (j)** College or university totals include two-year, four-year, and other college.

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1994-95 to 1998-99

Characteristics	School Years				
	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99
Schools					
Elementary	1,844	1,848	1,855	1,859	1,862
Secondary	371	373	373	377	379
Handicapped	81	81	82	82	83
Total	2,296	2,302	2,310	2,318	2,324
Enrollments					
Elementary	830,907.0	852,290.0	869,785.5	885,598.0	900,023.0
Secondary	343,345.5	343,438.5	348,792.5	355,322.0	359,878.5
Total	1,174,252.5	1,195,728.5	1,218,578.0	1,240,920.0	1,259,901.5
Enrollments by Sex					
Male	604,680.5	615,346.0	626,874.5	638,663.0	648,796.0
Female	569,572.0	580,382.5	591,703.5	602,257.0	611,105.5
Total	1,174,252.5	1,195,728.5	1,218,578.0	1,240,920.0	1,259,901.5
Enrollments by Racial/Ethnic Origin					
White	739,193.0	747,376.0	757,795.0	766,820.0	774,518.0
Black	218,024.0	221,059.5	223,776.5	227,502.0	228,382.0
Hispanic	153,517.5	160,982.0	167,514.0	173,709.5	180,698.0
American Indian/Alaskan Native	1,913.5	1,982.5	2,021.5	2,181.5	2,279.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	61,604.5	64,328.5	67,471.0	70,707.0	74,024.0
Total	1,174,252.5	1,195,728.5	1,218,578.0	1,240,920.0	1,259,901.5
Minority Enrollments (a)	435,059.5	448,352.5	460,783.0	474,100.0	485,383.5

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1993-94 to 1997-98 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	(1993-94)	(1994-95)	(1995-96)	(1996-97)	(1997-98)
Dropouts (b)					
Pre-Kindergarten - Grade 6	1,849	2,338	1,871	1,856	934
Grade 7 - 8	988	886	852	519	1,182
Grade 9 - 12	13,028	12,258	12,662	11,621	10,859
Special Education	1,806	1,736	1,662	1,983	1,713
Total	17,671	17,218	17,047	15,979	14,688
Dropouts by Racial/Ethnic Origin (b)					
White	6,481	6,378	5,893	5,448	5,558
Black	6,478	6,058	6,463	6,295	4,806
Hispanic	4,288	4,390	4,263	3,849	3,684
American Indian/Alaskan Native	34	25	66	48	43
Asian/Pacific Islander	390	367	362	339	597
Total	17,671	17,218	17,047	15,979	14,688
Minority Dropouts (a, b)	11,190	10,840	11,154	10,531	10,531
Calculated Statewide					
Single-Year Dropout Rate (b, d)	4.5	4.2	4.3	3.9	3.6
Graduates (b)					
Planning to Attend:					
College or University (e)	49,352	51,024	51,675	52,595	52,056
Continuing Education	3,136	3,025	3,035	3,339	54,715
Not Continuing Education	13,637	13,354	12,994	14,094	10,266
Total	66,125	67,403	67,704	70,028	64,981

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1993-94 to 1997-98 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	(1993-94)	(1994-95)	(1995-96)	(1996-97)	(1997-98)
Graduates by Racial/Ethnic Origin (b)					
White	45,898	46,742	46,767	47,682	46,485.0
Black	9,598	9,868	9,588	10,217	10,010.5
Hispanic	6,715	6,766	7,150	7,693	7,108.5
American Indian/Alaskan Native	112	95	104	112	202.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	3,802	3,932	4,095	4,324	4,341.0
Total	66,125	67,403	67,704	70,028	68,148
 Minority Graduates (a, b)	 20,227	 20,661	 20,937	 22,346	 21,663
 Calculated Statewide Graduation Rate (b, f)	 85.3	 83.5	 83.1	 85.7	 81.9

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1994-95 to 1998-99 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99
Certificated Staff (Full-time) (g)					
Major Assignment Category					
Administrators & Supervisors	7,989.0	7,841	7,776	7,703	7,703
Classroom Teachers	83,478.0	84,831	89,204	87,837	90,465
Educational Support Services Personnel	12,458.0	12,634	13,978	12,855	13,248
Total	103,925.0	105,306	110,958	108,395	111,416
Certificated Staff (Full-time) Ratios					
Students to Administrators & Supervisors	147	152.5	156.7	161.1	163.0
Students to Classroom Teachers	14.1	14.1	13.7	14.2	13.9
Classroom Teachers to Administrators & Supervisors	10.4	10.8	11.5	11.7	11.7
Average Salaries of Full-time Staff					
Administrators & Supervisors	\$74,878	\$77,670	\$79,702	\$82,280	\$84,524
Classroom Teachers	\$47,038	\$48,751	\$49,841	\$50,443	\$51,233
Educational Support Services Personnel	\$50,644	\$52,511	\$53,997	\$54,983	\$56,168
Non-Certificated Staff (Full-time) (h)					
Professional	1,540.9	1,519.5	1,469.1	1,752.6	1,856.9
Teacher Aides	13,273.8	13,935.8	14,494.4	15,644.2	16,491.8
Technicians	627.2	694.7	706.3	854.3	823.1
Clerical/Secretarial	13,072.7	13,003.6	12,812.8	12,864.0	13,063.2
Service Workers	23,645.3	22,588.6	21,458.3	21,000.6	20,856.8
Skilled Craft	2,178.4	2,136.2	2,219.5	2,332.4	2,312.1
Laborers Unskilled	988.1	1,417.3	1,366.9	1,505.7	1,772.5
Total	55,326.4	55,295.7	54,529.3	55,953.8	57,176.4

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1994-95 to 1998-99 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99
Nonpublic Schools					
Elementary	726	740	758	780	796
Secondary	170	182	185	115	103
Elementary/Secondary	NA	NA	NA	81	81
Handicapped	132	133	134	137	133
Total	1,028	1,055	1,077	1,113	1,113
Nonpublic School Enrollment					
Kindergarten - Grade 6	145,362	131,830	131,788	136,173	136,101
Grade 7 - 8	31,207	26,375	26,375	26,060	26,512
Grade 9 - 12	50,641	46,819	46,819	46,775	47,220
Special Education	9,141	9,848	9,848	8,949	9,446
Total	236,351	214,872	214,830	217,957	219,279
Non-Resident (Out-of-State Enrollment)	3,476	3,408	3,408	3,591	3,749
Students Participating in IASA Title I	13,416	10,910	10,910	13,280	13,796
Students Eligible for Free Meals and/or Milk	19,238	18,587	18,587	21,715	22,252

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1999-00 to 2003-04

Characteristics	School Years				
	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
Schools					
Elementary	1,877	1,890	1,906	1,911	1,926
Secondary	380	386	389	390	391
Handicapped	85	87	86	83	81
Total	2,342	2,363	2,381	2,384	2,398
Enrollments (i)					
Elementary	919,665.5	934,502.5	950,703.5	959,155.0	960,143.0
Secondary	369,555.5	378,891.5	390,799.5	408,134.5	420,738.5
Total	1,289,221.0	1,313,394.0	1,341,503.0	1,367,289.5	1,380,881.5
Enrollments by Sex (i)					
Male	663,193.5	676,147.5	689,647.5	703,286.5	710,361.0
Female	626,027.5	637,246.5	651,855.5	663,962.5	670,520.5
Total	1,289,221.0	1,313,394.0	1,341,503.0	1,367,249.0	1,380,881.5
Enrollments by Racial/Ethnic Origin (i)					
White	783,698.5	792,293.5	796,517.5	801,168.0	799,272.5
Black	233,370.0	234,681.0	239,448.5	243,469.0	245,063.5
Hispanic	191,592.5	201,350.0	214,571.5	227,145.0	237,252.0
American Indian/Alaskan Native	2,595.0	2,622.5	2,394.5	2,239.5	2,417.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	77,965.0	82,447.0	88,571.0	93,227.5	96,876.5
Total	1,289,221.0	1,313,394.0	1,341,503.0	1,367,249.0	1,380,881.5
Minority Enrollments (a)	505,522.5	521,100.5	54,985.5	566,081.0	581,609.0

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1998-99 to 2002-03 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	(1998-99)	(1999-00)	School Years (2000-01)	(2001-02)	(2002-03)
Dropouts (b)					
Pre-Kindergarten - 6	1,063.0	1,059.0	913.0	1,066.0	1,030.0
Grade 7 - 8	388.0	357.0	344.0	270.0	331.0
Grade 9 - 12	10,119.0	10,208.5	9,826.0	9,120.5	7,147.0
Special Education	1,579.5	1,808.5	1,556.0	1,139.0	1,200.0
Total	13,149.5	13,433.0	12,639.0	11,595.5	9,708.0
Dropouts by Racial/Ethnic Origin (b)					
White	4,766.5	4,827.0	4,334.0	3,934.5	3,351.0
Black	4,545.0	4,673.0	4,508.5	4,200.5	3,351.0
Hispanic	3,513.0	3,569.0	3,391.0	3,174.5	2,744.5
American Indian/Alaskan Native	27.0	38.0	92.0	23.0	33.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	298.0	326.0	313.5	263.0	228.5
Total	13,149.5	13,433.0	12,639.0	11,595.5	9,708.0
Minority Dropouts (a, b)	9,130	8,383.0	8,282.5	7,661.0	6,357.0
Calculated Statewide					
Single-Year Dropout Rate (b, d)	3.3	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.0
Graduates (b)					
Planning to Attend:					
Two-Year College	16,251.0	18,134.5	18,423.5	19,960.0	21,791.0
Four-Year College or University	36,547.5	38,608.5	39,792.5	41,186.0	43,206.5
Other College	662.0	740.5	826.0	813.5	875.0
Total College or University (j)	53,460.5	57,483.5	59,042.0	61,959.5	65,872.5
Continuing Education	56,258.5	60,385.5	61,784.0	64,422.5	68,333.5
Not Continuing Education	11,110.0	14,034.0	14,345.5	13,590.0	13,055.5
Total	67,368.5	74,419.5	76,129.5	78,012.5	81,389.0

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1998-99 to 2002-03 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	(1998-99)	(1999-00)	(2000-01)	(2001-02)	(2002-03)
Graduates by Racial/Ethnic Origin (b)					
White	45,582.5	49,308.0	49,647.0	50,352.5	51,802.0
Black	9,645.5	11,101.5	11,507.0	11,961.5	12,283.5
Hispanic	7,404.5	8,606.0	9,492.0	9,906.0	11,015.5
American Indian/Alaskan Native	127.5	206.5	204.0	132.0	160.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	4,608.5	5,197.5	5,369.5	5,660.5	6,127.5
Total	67,368.5	74,419.5	76,219.5	78,012.5	81,389.0
Minority Graduates (a, b)	21,786.0	25,111.5	26,572.5	27,660.0	29,586.5
Calculated Statewide Graduation Rate (b, f)	79.3	87.6	88.7	90.2	94.5

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1999-00 to 2003-04 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
Certificated Staff (Full-time) (g)					
Major Assignment Category					
Administrators & Supervisors	7,940	8,335	8,610	8,654	8,632
Classroom Teachers	94,415	98,072	102,723	105,561	107,643
Educational Support Services Personnel	13,745	14,374	15,188	15,626	16,045
Total	116,100	120,781	126,521	129,841	132,320
Certificated Staff (Full-time) Ratios:					
Student to Administrators & Supervisors	162.4	157.6	155.8	158.0	160.0
Student to Classroom Teachers	13.7	13.4	13.1	13.1	12.8
Classroom Teachers to Administrators & Supervisors	11.9	11.8	11.9	12.2	12.5
Average Salaries of Full-time Staff					
Administrators & Supervisors	\$86,872	\$89,105	\$92,440	\$95,268	\$99,026
Classroom Teachers	\$51,671	\$51,955	\$52,916	\$53,872	\$55,306
Educational Support Services Personnel	\$56,956	\$57,788	\$59,327	\$60,850	\$62,799
Non-Certificated Staff (h)					
Professional	2,068.4	1,995.2	2,099.8	1,966.4	2,165.2
Teacher Aides	17,589.6	19,559.0	21,474.2	22,663.7	24,019.3
Technicians	1,037.7	1,174.2	1,490.5	1,525.1	1,625.5
Clerical/Secretarial	13,275.9	13,742.9	13,927.5	14,189.3	14,303.9
Service Workers	21,408.0	22,582.3	22,090.6	22,734.1	23,288.6
Skilled Craft	2,427.8	2,376.1	2,303.4	2,469.2	2,442.7
Laborers Unskilled	1,458.5	1,244.8	1,963.5	2,004.5	1,900.9
Total	59,265.9	62,674.5	65,349.5	67,552.3	69,746.1

SELECTED EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS
School Years 1999-00 to 2003-04 (Cont'd)

Characteristics	School Years				
	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
Nonpublic Schools					
Elementary	828	832	842	881	880
Secondary	102	107	107	106	112
Elementary/Secondary	85	87	86	92	95
Handicapped	143	140	145	147	150
Total	1,158	1,166	1,180	1,226	1,237
Nonpublic School Enrollment					
Kindergarten - Grade 6	138,224	137,456	133,782	124,846	120,264
Grade 7 - 8	27,124	27,089	27,816	28,401	27,838
Grade 9 - 12	47,863	48,758	49,934	49,815	50,477
Special Education	10,120	10,379	11,051	11,344	11,563
Total	223,331	223,682	222,583	214,406	210,142
Non-Resident (Out-of-State Enrollment)	3,877	3,750	3,976	4,399	4,239
Students Participating in IASA Title1	12,627	12,633	13,081	3,885	3,159
Students Eligible for Free Meals and/or Milk	22,840	25,346	25,693	23,898	22,336

Section I:

DISTRICT AND SCHOOL INFORMATION

EXPLANATORY NOTES

These tables contain information about district and school organization and demographics. Tables in this section not referenced below are self-explanatory.

- Table 1. A nonoperating school district is a district that has been legally established with a board of education but does not operate any schools.
- Table 4. Includes the number of approved charter schools that were in operation as of October 15, 2003 and, the student enrollment reported as of this date. The counts of schools appearing in this table are a subset of the number of schools reported in Table 3.
- Table 5. School openings and closings are reported by local school districts to the New Jersey Department of Education through the county offices of education in the fall of each school year.
- Table 6. Student enrollments are reported for selected programs and purposes including: IASA Title 1 (See glossary for a definition of this program), the number eligible for free meals and/or milk nutrition programs, and those students enrolled in full- or half-day pre-kindergarten or kindergarten programs.

TABLE 1
OPERATING AND NON-OPERATING NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY COUNTY AS OF
OCTOBER 15, 2003

COUNTY	NUMBER OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS		TOTAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS	PERCENT OF TOTAL OPERATING SCHOOL DISTRICTS
	OPERATING	NON-OPERATING		
ATLANTIC	24	2	26	4.0
BERGEN	76	2	78	12.8
BURLINGTON	42	0	42	7.1
CAMDEN	38	4	42	6.4
CAPE MAY	17	2	19	2.9
CUMBERLAND	16	0	16	2.7
ESSEX	23	0	23	3.9
GLOUCESTER	28	1	29	4.7
HUDSON	13	0	13	2.2
HUNTERDON	30	1	31	5.1
MERCER	11	0	11	1.9
MIDDLESEX	25	1	26	4.2
MONMOUTH	53	4	57	8.9
MORRIS	40	1	41	6.7
OCEAN	29	1	30	4.9
PASSAIC	21	0	21	3.5
SALEM	15	0	15	2.5
SOMERSET	19	2	21	3.2
SUSSEX	26	1	27	4.4
UNION	23	0	23	3.9
WARREN	24	1	25	4.0
TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS	593	23	616	100.0

TABLE 2
NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY COUNTY AND SIZE OF ENROLLMENT AS OF
OCTOBER 15, 2003

COUNTY	0 TO 299	300 TO 499	500 TO 799	800 TO 999	SUB- TOTAL	1000 TO 1999	2000 TO 2999	3000 TO 3999	4000 TO 4999	5000 TO 5999	6000 TO 6999	7000 TO 7999	8000 TO 8999	9000 AND OVER	TOTAL DISTRICTS OPERATING SCHOOLS
ATLANTIC	1	3	3	1	8	7	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	2	24
BERGEN	2	3	6	3	14	22	15	12	5	2	3	2	1	0	76
BURLINGTON	5	4	1	3	13	9	7	5	1	0	3	0	3	1	42
CAMDEN	3	3	6	2	14	8	2	7	0	2	0	0	0	5	38
CAPE MAY	4	3	3	0	10	2	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	17
CUMBERLAND	4	1	3	2	10	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	16
ESSEX	1	1	1	1	4	1	4	2	0	0	4	1	0	7	23
GLOUCESTER	0	4	4	2	10	4	8	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	28
HUDSON	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	13
HUNTERDON	9	3	5	4	21	4	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	30
MERCER	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	3	11
MIDDLESEX	0	0	0	3	3	3	4	2	0	2	1	0	2	8	25
MONMOUTH	7	5	3	3	18	14	6	1	1	3	4	1	2	3	53
MORRIS	2	2	3	3	10	10	4	5	4	2	2	1	1	1	40
OCEAN	8	3	1	1	13	1	4	3	2	1	0	1	1	3	29
PASSAIC	0	1	0	1	2	10	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	21
SALEM	4	2	4	0	10	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
SOMERSET	1	1	1	2	5	2	4	2	1	0	0	2	0	3	19
SUSSEX	2	2	8	1	13	8	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	26
UNION	1	1	3	1	6	1	0	4	2	4	0	1	1	4	23
WARREN	1	6	5	2	14	7	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	24
NEW JERSEY	56	49	60	35	200	120	74	55	23	24	20	13	13	51	593

TABLE 3
NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY COUNTY AND TYPE OF SCHOOL AS OF
OCTOBER 15, 2003

COUNTY	ELEMENTARY		SECONDARY						HANDICAPPED		TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	PERCENT OF TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN EACH COUNTY
	ELEMENTARY	MIDDLE	APPROVED JUNIOR HIGH	3 YEAR	4 YEAR	6 YEAR	OTHER	VOCATIONAL	ELEMENTARY	SECONDARY		
ATLANTIC	54	12	0	0	8	0	0	1	1	1	77	3.2
BERGEN	178	35	0	0	32	11	2	3	11	1	273	11.4
BURLINGTON	93	21	0	0	16	3	0	2	4	1	140	5.8
CAMDEN	112	22	1	0	15	4	4	2	2	0	162	6.8
CAPE MAY	20	4	0	0	4	0	0	1	2	1	32	1.3
CUMBERLAND	38	7	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	0	52	2.2
ESSEX	155	26	1	2	23	2	3	4	6	3	225	9.4
GLOUCESTER	55	12	0	0	10	3	1	1	2	0	84	3.5
HUDSON	77	10	0	0	15	1	0	4	2	0	109	4.5
HUNTERDON	31	9	0	0	4	1	0	4	2	0	51	2.1
MERCER	62	15	0	0	12	0	0	3	4	1	97	4.0
MIDDLESEX	113	30	1	1	20	2	1	6	6	0	180	7.5
MONMOUTH	116	27	0	1	23	1	2	6	5	3	184	7.7
MORRIS	98	27	0	0	21	0	1	4	4	0	155	6.5
OCEAN	67	13	2	1	14	0	0	5	1	0	103	4.3
PASSAIC	97	13	0	0	14	0	0	1	5	0	130	5.4
SALEM	18	5	0	0	5	0	0	1	2	0	31	1.3
SOMERSET	48	12	0	0	9	2	0	1	1	1	74	3.1
SUSSEX	30	7	0	0	7	1	0	1	1	0	47	2.0
UNION	97	26	0	0	15	1	2	2	5	2	150	6.3
WARREN	29	5	0	0	5	1	0	1	1	0	42	1.8
TOTAL	1,588	338	5	6	273	33	20	54	67	14	2,398	100.0
% OF TOTAL	66.1	14.1	0.2	0.3	11.4	1.4	0.8	2.3	2.8	0.6	100.0	

TABLE 4
OPERATING NEW JERSEY CHARTER SCHOOLS BY COUNTY AS OF
OCTOBER 15, 2003

COUNTY	NUMBER OF CHARTER SCHOOLS	PERCENT OF CHARTER SCHOOLS IN EACH COUNTY	STUDENT ENROLLMENT AS OF 10/15,/03	PERCENT OF EACH COUNTY'S ENROLLMENT
ATLANTIC	5	10.42	1,354.0	2.97
BERGEN	2	4.17	400.0	0.31
BURLINGTON	0	0.00	0	0.00
CAMDEN	3	6.25	1,215.0	1.38
CAPE MAY	0	0.00	0	0.00
CUMBERLAND	0	0.00	0	0.00
ESSEX	11	22.92	2,978.0	2.39
GLOUCESTER	0	0.00	0	0.00
HUDSON	11	22.92	3,477.0	4.43
HUNTERDON	0	0.00	0	0.00
MERCER	7	14.58	2,131.0	3.71
MIDDLESEX	1	2.08	141.0	0.12
MONMOUTH	3	6.25	488.5	0.45
MORRIS	1	2.08	105.0	0.13
OCEAN	0	0.00	0	0.00
PASSAIC	2	4.17	242.0	0.30
SALEM	0	0.00	0	0.00
SOMERSET	0	0.00	0	0.00
SUSSEX	1	2.08	94.0	0.33
UNION	1	2.08	177.0	0.21
WARREN	0	0.00	0	0.00
TOTAL	48	100.0	12,802.5	0.93

TABLE 5
SUMMARY OF SCHOOL OPENINGS AND CLOSINGS BY SCHOOL YEAR AND SCHOOL TYPE

School Year	Openings						Closings					
	Elementary	Middle	Secondary	Special	Other	Total	Elementary	Middle	Secondary	Special	Other	Total
1991-92	10	4	0	5	0	19	6	1	0	4	1	12
1992-93	14	4	1	7	1	27	8	2	1	4	0	15
1993-94	10	5	6	6	1	28	15	1	1	2	4	23
1994-95	11	6	1	4	1	23	17	1	2	7	0	27
1995-96	5	7	2	9	1	24	9	0	2	4	0	15
1996-97	6	5	4	9	0	24	15	3	1	0	0	19
1997-98	9	6	2	3	3	23	7	3	2	4	1	17
1998-99	11	4	6	1	3	25	10	2	4	0	5	21
1999-00	15	8	3	6	8	40	6	3	2	3	6	20
2000-01	16	2	2	2	2	24	3	0	0	1	2	6
2001-02	12	4	3	3	3	25	11	0	5	4	2	22
2003-04	8	2	1	1	1	13	4	1	3	5	2	15

TABLE 6
SELECTED PROGRAM ENROLLMENTS BY COUNTY AS OF
OCTOBER 15, 2003

COUNTY	TITLE I NCLB	STUDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR FREE MEALS AND/OR MILK	FULL-DAY PRE- KINDERGARTEN	HALF-DAY PRE- KINDERGARTEN	FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN	HALF-DAY KINDERGARTEN
ATLANTIC	9,595	12,785	399.0	540.0	2683.0	487.0
BERGEN	8,093	10,413	469.0	1128.0	5232.0	3452.0
BURLINGTON	7,231	8,415	820.0	711.0	2217.0	2575.0
CAMDEN	24,202	24,678	2045.0	1368.0	3489.0	2296.0
CAPE MAY	1,629	2,859	44.0	388.0	906.0	0.0
CUMBERLAND	13,975	11,058	870.0	249.0	1843.0	0.0
ESSEX	39,591	48,476	1226.0	410.0	7534.0	1601.0
GLOUCESTER	5,538	5,980	64.0	688.0	1367.0	1776.0
HUDSON	48,716	42,594	2292.0	906.0	5674.0	0.0
HUNTERDON	1,064	482	18.0	15.0	342.0	1111.0
MERCER	14,858	11,170	345.0	0.0	3007.0	1174.0
MIDDLESEX	18,798	20,263	858.0	375.0	4039.5	3631.0
MONMOUTH	14,431	12,587	1203.0	459.0	2631.0	4173.0
MORRIS	2,559	3,934	4.0	215.0	2314.0	3196.0
OCEAN	7,944	9,205	73.0	484.0	1904.0	3428.0
PASSAIC	31,656	25,061	612.0	83.0	3939.0	1725.0
SALEM	2,513	3,081	105.0	256.0	675.0	149.0
SOMERSET	3,748	3,962	0.0	272.0	1974.0	1485.0
SUSSEX	2,255	1,467	0.0	0.0	543.0	1420.0
UNION	22,165	24,597	1502.0	1085.0	4211.0	1689.0
WARREN	2,308	1,883	111.0	54.0	590.0	717.0
NEW JERSEY	282,869	284,950	13060.0	9686.0	57114.5	36085.0